

MONTESSORI CHILDREN'S HOUSE OF **HAYWARD** **NEWSLETTER –MARCH 2018**

Dear Parents,

Pennies for Patients

Pennies for Patients is a three week services-learning program that gives students the unique experience of working together to help raise awareness and funds in honor of thousands of children and adults fighting against blood cancers. We are asking that everyone at Montessori Children's House of Hayward join in this effort of raising awareness and collecting funds to benefit the mission of Leukemia & Lymphoma society: to find cures for blood cancers and to improve the quality of life for patients and their families. The program runs from February 23 until March 16, 2018.

Mom's Night

Mom's night is on Wednesday, March 7th. On this night, children come to school from 5:45pm to 6:30pm with their moms, grandmothers or aunts. The children work with them on all the jobs they usually do during class time. Do try to make it to this event. Please do not bring siblings on this night.

Enrollment

You will be receiving your enrollment packets for upcoming Summer and Fall Programs. **The due date for returning the packet is March 5th**. After that date, enrollment will be open to families on the waiting list. Current students are **not** automatically re-enrolled. Do not forget to pick up enrollment forms for siblings.

Parent/Teacher Conferences

Parent/Teacher Conferences will be coming on Thursday, March 9th and 10th. I will offer conference on Friday and Saturday. No conference on Thursday, March 9th. Please check conference sign-up sheet by the sign-in/sign-out table for available times. Please do not bring your child to the conference.

St Patrick Day: We are going to celebrate St Patrick Day on March 16. Please wear green on that day.

CLASSROOM REMINDERS:

• **It is vital that parents bring your child to school on time. Late arrivals will cause classroom interruptions and miss the lesson presentation of the day.**

- Please have your child wear their jacket to school. It can be very chilly in the backyard in the morning.
- Label jackets, lunch boxes and water bottles.
- When purchasing new shoes, please buy shoes with Velcro or the bungee ties.

Calendar

March 7 th	5:45—6:30pm	Mom's night
March 16 th		St. Patrick's Day
March 10 th and 11 th		Conferences

Helen and Lisa